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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

In an Office Action mailed on Sep 27, 2007 , on the above-identified U.S. Patent application, a shortened
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Authorization to charge the fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 to Deposit Account 08-2025 appears in the enclosed
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Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of
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